

(iii) When DOE declines to provide a CC number as requested by a manufacturer or private labeler in accordance with § 431.123(c), DOE will advise the requester of the reasons for such refusal.

(3) *Issuance of two or more CC numbers.*

(i) DOE will provide a unique CC number for each brand name, trademark or other label name for which a manufacturer or private labeler requests such a number in accordance with § 431.123(c), except as follows. DOE will not provide a CC number for any brand name, trademark or other label name:

(A) For which DOE has previously provided a CC number, or

(B) That duplicates or overlaps with other names under which the manufacturer or private labeler sells electric motors.

(ii) Once DOE has provided a CC number for a particular name, that shall be the only CC number applicable to all electric motors distributed by the manufacturer or private labeler under that name.

(iii) If the Compliance Certification in which a manufacturer or private labeler requests a CC number is the initial Compliance Certification submitted by it or on its behalf, and it distributes electric motors not covered by the CC number(s) DOE provides in response to the request(s), DOE will also provide a unique CC number that shall be applicable to all of these other motors.

(g) *Compliance date.* The compliance date for purposes of this section is April 30, 2003, or the date that is 120 days after the date of publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER of DOE's final determinations on petitions for certification program recognition submitted by CSA International and Underwriters Laboratories, Inc., whichever is earlier. If DOE publishes the final determinations on different dates, the compliance certification date for purposes of this section shall be the date that is 120 days after the date of publication of the earlier final determination.

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**§ 431.124 Maintenance of records.**

(a) The manufacturer of any electric motor subject to energy efficiency

standards prescribed under section 342 of the Act must establish, maintain and retain records of the following: the underlying test data for all testing conducted under this part; the development, substantiation, application, and subsequent verification of any AEDM used under this part; and any written certification received from a certification program, including a certificate of conformity, relied on under the provisions of this part. Such records must be organized and indexed in a fashion which makes them readily accessible for review. The records must include the supporting test data associated with tests performed on any test units to satisfy the requirements of this subpart (except tests performed by the Department directly).

(b) All such records must be retained by the manufacturer for a period of two years from the date that production of the applicable basic model of electric motor has ceased. Records must be retained in a form allowing ready access to the Department upon request.

**§ 431.125 Imported equipment.**

(a) Pursuant to sections 331 and 345 of the Act, any person importing any covered equipment into the United States shall comply with the provisions of the Act and of this part, and is subject to the remedies of this part.

(b) Any covered equipment offered for importation in violation of the Act and of this part shall be refused admission into the customs territory of the United States under rules issued by the Secretary of the Treasury, except that the Secretary of the Treasury may, by such rules, authorize the importation of such covered equipment upon such terms and conditions (including the furnishing of a bond) as may appear to the Secretary of Treasury appropriate to ensure that such covered equipment will not violate the Act and this part, or will be exported or abandoned to the United States.

**§ 431.126 Exported equipment.**

Pursuant to sections 330 and 345 of the Act, this part shall not apply to any covered equipment if (a) such covered equipment is manufactured, sold, or held for sale for export from the

United States (or such product was imported for export), unless such equipment is, in fact, distributed in commerce for use in the United States, and (b) such covered equipment, when distributed in commerce, or any container in which it is enclosed when so distributed, bears a stamp or label stating that such covered equipment is intended for export.

**§ 431.127 Enforcement.**

(a) *Test notice.* Upon receiving information in writing, concerning the energy performance of a particular electric motor sold by a particular manufacturer or private labeler, which indicates that the electric motor may not be in compliance with the applicable energy efficiency standard, or upon undertaking to ascertain the accuracy of the efficiency rating on the nameplate or in marketing materials for an electric motor, disclosed pursuant to subpart E of this part, the Secretary may conduct testing of that covered equipment under this subpart by means of a test notice addressed to the manufacturer in accordance with the following requirements:

(1) The test notice procedure will only be followed after the Secretary or his/her designated representative has examined the underlying test data (or, where appropriate, data as to use of an alternative efficiency determination method) provided by the manufacturer and after the manufacturer has been offered the opportunity to meet with the Department to verify, as applicable, compliance with the applicable efficiency standard, or the accuracy of labeling information, or both. In addition, where compliance of a basic model was certified based on an AEDM, the Department shall have the discretion to pursue the provisions of section 431.24(a)(4)(iii) prior to invoking the test notice procedure. A representative designated by the Secretary shall be permitted to observe any reverification procedures undertaken pursuant to this subpart, and to inspect the results of such reverification.

(2) The test notice will be signed by the Secretary or his/her designee. The test notice may be mailed or delivered by the Department to the plant man-

ager or other responsible official, as designated by the manufacturer.

(3) The test notice will specify the model or basic model to be selected for testing, the method of selecting the test sample, the date and time at which testing shall be initiated, the date by which testing is scheduled to be completed and the facility at which testing will be conducted. The test notice may also provide for situations in which the specified basic model is unavailable for testing, and may include alternative basic models.

(4) The Secretary may require in the test notice that the manufacturer of an electric motor shall ship at his expense a reasonable number of units of a basic model specified in such test notice to a testing laboratory designated by the Secretary. The number of units of a basic model specified in a test notice shall not exceed twenty (20).

(5) Within five working days of the time the units are selected, the manufacturer shall ship the specified test units of a basic model to the testing laboratory.

(b) *Testing laboratory.* Whenever the Department conducts enforcement testing at a designated laboratory in accordance with a test notice under this section, the resulting test data shall constitute official test data for that basic model. Such test data will be used by the Department to make a determination of compliance or non-compliance if a sufficient number of tests have been conducted to satisfy the requirements of appendix B of this subpart.

(c) *Sampling.* The determination that a manufacturer's basic model complies with its labeled efficiency, or the applicable energy efficiency standard, shall be based on the testing conducted in accordance with the statistical sampling procedures set forth in appendix B of this subpart and the test procedures set forth in appendix A to subpart B of this part.

(d) *Test unit selection.* A Department inspector shall select a batch, a batch sample, and test units from the batch sample in accordance with the provisions of this paragraph and the conditions specified in the test notice.